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LAST OF HIS NAME, COLONEL VICTOR VAN DE MALE DIES

Native of Belgium and Popular Traveling Salesman For Many Years.

He Succumbs to Stroke of Paralysis.

FUNERAL IS TO BE SATURDAY

After being in the shadow of death several days, Col. Victor Van de Male, 70 years old, a traveling salesman for 36 years, died this morning at 10 o'clock at Hotel Craig. A stroke of paralysis that he sustained late Tuesday afternoon, was the cause of his death, although he had been in a serious condition for five months. His health began to fail several years ago.

He was a man who could not count his friends, for he spent most of his life traveling and was known over a wide territory. His ability to make friends was strong, and his jovial disposition made him popular. As a salesman he traveled for 36 years mostly out of Paducah.

Colonel Van de Male was born in Antwerp, Belgium, in 1839, but with his father immigrated to this country in 1849, locating in St. Louis, where he grew to manhood. After the completion of his college days he served as a salesman until the outbreak of the Civil war, when he joined a Confederate company organized in Missouri. However, he served only about 18 months and then located in Columbus, May 16, 1865, he was married first to Miss Ellen Simms and a daughter, Mrs. Charles M. Stanley survives. He was married a second time to Miss Annie Thompson April 23, 1875. After a short residence in St. Louis he removed to Paducah and had resided here since December 24, 1896, he was married to Miss Ella Gray, a sister of Mrs. W. C. Gray.

His death ends the Van de Male family as neither in Europe nor America is there a person bearing the name, besides Mrs. Van de Male who survives her husband. Only a few relatives survive. He outlived his brother. A daughter, Mrs. Charles M. Stanley, and her husband of Providence, R. I., are expected to arrive Friday night for the funeral and burial. One sister, Mrs. Hortense Vanmouck, of Detroit, also survives and she was the nearest relative. In St. Louis he leaves three nephews: Messrs. A. G. Bolns, P. C. Bolns and P. O. Bolns.

Although popular and an excellent mixer with people, Col. Van de Male was not a member of any fraternal lodges. He was a member of the First Baptist church, and the funeral will be held by the pastor, the Rev. M. E. Dodd. Owing to the fact that his daughter can not arrive before Friday night the funeral will not be held before Saturday. The burial will be in Oak Grove cemetery.

Mrs. Catherine Evans.

Mrs. Catherine Matilda Evans aged 52, of Twenty-seventh and Tennessee streets, died at 11:30 o'clock last night of consumption after a several months' illness. She was a member of the Fountain Avenue Methodist church and had resided in Paducah for 35 years, moving to this city from Tennessee, her birth place. She leaves one son, Mr. Oscar Evans a harnessmaker; her father, Mr. William Kyle, two sisters, Mrs. McClain, of this city, and Mrs. Ida Trece, of New Albany, Ind., and two brothers Messrs. Robert and Elvin Kyle, of El Paso, Tex.

The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at the residence, the Rev. George W. Banks, pastor of the Fountain Avenue Methodist church officiating. Burial will be at Oak Grove cemetery.

The Weather

A strong wind followed by lightning with heavy claps of thunder and a drizzling rain played over Paducah and vicinity for two hours last night, slackening about midnight. Little damage was done in this vicinity except the usual pranks of lightning. Rainfall measured .46 of an inch. The forecast is: Fair tonight and Friday; cooler Friday. Maximum temperature today, 73; minimum, 59.

Illinois: Washington, Sept. 23.—Partly cloudy Thursday with cooler in southern portion; Friday warmer; moderate west winds becoming variable.

Sun and Moon.

Sun rose today, 5:47 a.m.
Sun will set tonight, 5:57 p.m.
Moon will rise tonight, 12:36 a.m.

Police Inspector Edward McCann, of Chicago, Found Guilty of Graft by Jury After Night of Balloting

Louis Frank, Dive Keeper, Declared He Collected Protection Money for Prisoner ---Defense Said Revenge.

Chicago, Sept. 23.—Police Inspector McCann was found guilty this morning of accepting bribes for vice permits in the Desplines street vice center.

The verdict of guilty means a sentence of from one to five years. Attorneys for the inspector have asked for a new trial. Judge Barnes set the hearing of the motion next week letting the original bond release him in the meantime. McCann's attorneys say if a retrial is not granted they will appeal.

The McCann jury was in a deadlock all night, nine for acquittal and three for conviction. At 9:30 the jury asked for additional instructions of Judge Barnes. There was balloting all night and not a change of count. McCann stayed at his attorney's home, receiving the news philosophically. The jury was given additional instructions and returned to the room.

The fight centered about the testimony of Louis Frank, a dive keeper, who declared he was the agent of McCann in collecting "protection" money. The defense claimed that McCann was the victim of a conspiracy of the west side resort keepers, who wished to get rid of him, because he was strict. Settlement house workers stood by McCann.

In referring to Louis Frank, Attorney J. Hamilton Lewis for the defense, said:

"Beginning as a bartender in the saloon of his brother—one of them—and the other selling whisky from a wagon in the street, they graduated and gravitated into a line of business which, although permitted by the laws of this state, is the absolute death dealing foe of every young man who comes within its influence. They continued until they present themselves to you eventually as the owners of the most flagrant and inviting saloon for vice and corruption that the city of Chicago can afford."

"From the barrel house with sawdust on its floor they have progressed to the point where they occupy a palace, with appointments of the most luxurious description. We follow their course until a point is reached where they confess that they are millionaires, making \$7,500 a month from this saloon, nearly \$8,000 a month, \$96,000 a year. And that, based upon a profit of 50 per cent and continued for ten years, they are thus shown to be the possessors of \$500,000 apiece, drawn from occupations which they have found agreeable, but without one day of honest industry or toil."

"They have amassed this fortune out of the blood and tears of depraved and fallen women, and they have become so potent that they can demand of a banker that he shall come and certify, notwithstanding their present character, that they are above reproach."

"Louis Frank had been holding himself out as the despot, the 'king

Peary Receives Warm Welcome Back Home

Portland, Me., Sept. 23.—The train bearing Peary crossed the border at 9:30 this morning. It is his first time in Maine in nearly two years. At many stations curious throngs gathered to secure a glimpse. The first formal reception was at Bangor, at 1:15. He was met by Mayor Woodman and the city council and a welcoming committee, and escorted through the streets filled with cheering people to the Bangor house, where luncheon was served. On the balcony, where thousands could see, they presented a silver loving cup. At 3:40 he will board the train for Portland.

At Waterville Colby college students have planned a big reception. Bowdoin college also had planned but the train did not pass through Brunswick. He will arrive here at 7:40 this evening. Then the biggest reception will be given until the settlement of the controversy. There will be a banquet at Palmouth hotel then a reception in the auditorium. Governor Fernald and other dignitaries will attend. Tomorrow Peary and his family will go to Eagle Island for a few days by motor boat.

GRANT TEETOTLER.

Chicago, Sept. 23.—Maj. Gen. Frederick Dent Grant, son of famous U. S. Grant, is being boomed at the fortieth anniversary celebration of the Prohibition party for president. Grant has said and has been quoted in print as favoring teetotalism.

of the levee, the political manipulator, the great boss of crime and criminality," he went on, "and yet counsel refers to him as this poor individual having only the trait of his race, the art of making money. God help me that I might not ascribe the only trait of his race as the art of making money out of the souls of fallen and prostrate girls and women!" "Gentlemen, the Franks in this case are before you. They realize their situation; they brought this accusation for the purpose of venting their vengeance, and they must succeed by any means at their hands. Oh, they realize it is the end of their power over those people. Yes, it will end. No more falsehood or imposition."

The State's Side.

State's Attorney Wayman, for the prosecution, said:

"Frank is not running a Sunday school at Haisted and Madison streets but he is running just as respectable place, if the court please, as there is run right under the eaves of the city hall, where within my administration—within the last six months—a police officer has been shot down in cold blood and the man that threw the bomb was arrested. I say, just as respectable. I am not defending saloons, but if you are going to draw invidious comparisons here, I will

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Perkins' Creek Bridge

All but the floor supports have been removed from the new concrete bridge over Perkins' creek by Bert Johnson, the sub-contractor, who says he will be ready for an inspection by next Thursday. However, he said he would not permit traffic over the bridge at his risk, and it will not be thrown open for the public until after the county has accepted the work. The concrete will be sufficiently dry to remove the floor braces by next week. The contract was secured by the Vincennes Bridge company and was sub-let to Johnson.

RUSSIA DENIES MASSACRES OF JEWS ONCE MORE

Berlin, Sept. 23.—The Russian government today is repeating its Kishinev tactics, denying absolutely the massacre at Kief. Refugees bring in the truth.

COMMITTEE SAYS HURRAH FOR TAFT AND HE LOOKS OUT

Glenwood Springs Declines to be Missing From Presidential Itinerary.

He Didn't Get Bath, But They Got Speech.

CONSERVATION AT SPOKANE

Glenwood Springs, Col., Sept. 23.—President Taft reached here early this morning but was asleep. While the train stopped the program was waiting. Finally a reception committee went under the sleeper window and cheered lustily, waking him. He gave a short speech before the train left. The program included a bath in the famous swimming pool, but it had to be called off. He will reach Montrose this afternoon to speak.

Crosses the Divide.

Pueblo, Col., Sept. 23.—President Taft crossed Continental Divide after traveling all day over the Rocky peaks and running at one point through fields of snow. The eleven mile ride through the Grand Canon of Arkansas was made by moonlight. The president was unaffected by the altitude and is in splendid health despite the unending series of breakfasts, luncheons and dinners. His voice is in prime condition.

At Colorado Springs the president briefly addressed in a public park one of the largest crowds of the trip, then made an automobile tour to points of scenic interest. Arriving at Pueblo the president was driven to the state fair grounds and faced a throng, made a brief speech of appreciation of Colorado's reception.

Ballinger joined the president at Denver and will assist Taft at the opening of the Guadalupe tunnel at Montrose, Col., the greatest irrigation project the government has ever undertaken.

Taft announced that he will not speak upon the conservation of natural resources until he reaches Spokane, September 28. It was at Spokane that the Ballinger-Pinchot controversy arose. Beyond saying that he had frequent correspondence with Pinchot, and that they always had been the warmest friends, Taft declined to comment upon the matter.

Thirty-two sheriffs of Colorado counties, in costumes of the plains, joined the party and surrounded the president at every stop. The sheriffs found bronchos waiting for them at each city visited.

In his Colorado Springs speech, the president said:

"This administration is pledged with the aid of the people to enact such legislation as shall clinch the advance in business standards and in the management of the railroads and industrial corporations, which was set in motion by my predecessor."

"I think we have made a great advance under his influence, but we must not stop. He took up the question of the conservation of our resources, and pledged all his efforts in direction of the scientific solution of these questions. Such a policy can not be brought to a culmination in one administration or two or three. All that each one can do while he is responsible is that his best efforts be devoted to carrying out these policies, not only to devoting the government's attention, but also in encouraging the use of private capital in the same direction."

Ministry to Resign.

Budapest, Sept. 23.—The resignation of the Alexander Wekerle ministry was decided upon at a cabinet council today. The ministry has remained in office up to the present time only on the special solicitation of the emperor-king, Francis Joseph.

Want Massacre Information.

Washington, Sept. 23.—The acting secretary of state sent a telegram to the American embassy in St. Petersburg asking for information in regard to the recent alleged massacre of Jews at Kief, and especially as to whether any Americans have suffered

SPANISH TROOPS ARE RETREATING SEVERELY BEATEN

Paris, Sept. 23.—Spanish forces met severe defeat in Morocco and are now in full retreat, according to a report, reaching the French war office today.

Corpses Swept Up by Waves and Left in Rows on Beach of Gulf Near New Orleans In One Parish

Boats Get Through From Hattiesburg and Learn Conditions---Harrowing Tales of Survivors of Storm.

Hattiesburg, Miss., Sept. 23.—Boats, reaching New Orleans, late yesterday report the greatest loss of life in the storm was at Perre Bonne parish where over 100 were drowned. Corpses were swept up by the waves and lie in rows on the beach. Hundreds there are homeless and without food.

The Crop Damage.

New Orleans, Sept. 23.—Reports today from the crop districts say the crop damage is more than ten millions, the greatest in history.

New Orleans, La., Sept. 23.—Gradually New Orleans and the territory surrounding the Crescent city is recovering from the effects of the shock and results of the tropical hurricane, which, starting Sunday, continued throughout Monday and Tuesday night. Thirty-eight human lives are now positively known to have been claimed as victims of the storm and fifty others are reported to have been drowned or perished under debris in lower Terre Bonne parish, but as yet this report has not been authenticated.

The property loss is even far heavier than was first believed, and instead of running into the hundreds of thousands it will run into the millions by the time the final details of havoc and destruction left in the wake of the hurricane are tallied.

Miles and miles of territory have been laid waste by the storm demon. Crops have practically been ruined.

Dwellings, cotton gins and sugar mills have been leveled to the earth but already, with the progressive spirit of the south, the people have expressed the determination to repair as far as possible the damage wrought, and will in the end profit by the experience, harrowing as it was.

New Orleans Crippled.

New Orleans is still sadly crippled in the way of railroad facilities and telegraph and telephone communication with the outside world. It was not until last night that the Western Union Telegraph company was able to get a working wire out of the city. For several days the city's only communication with the outside was over an improvised long distance telephone circuit. The Illinois Central company is sending its north bound train out over the Yazoo and Mississippi Valley tracks as far as Baton Rouge, and then detouring them across to Hammond, where the main line is tapped.

The Louisville and Nashville railroad is moving trains out of the city over the New Orleans and Northeastern. Both the Illinois Central and the Louisville and Nashville roads have suffered a heavy loss, miles of their tracks having been washed away. It will be several weeks or more before the Louisville and Nashville will again be running trains over their own tracks. The other railroads running out of the city are moving trains on schedule time, under caution orders.

It is the territory surrounding New Orleans, especially lower Terre Bonne parish, which now commands the attention of relief parties, scores of which left here Tuesday and today and from where the least bit of news

ROBBERS MURDER FAMILY AND BURN THEIR DWELLING

Bluefield, W. Va., Sept. 23.—A pack of bloodhounds and hundreds of citizens are following the trail through the mountains to capture a band of robbers, who brutally murdered George Meadows, a farmer, at O'Keefe, Buchanan county, his wife and three children, and Mrs. Meadows' aged mother. If captured they will be lynched. To conceal the murder the bodies were piled up, oil poured over and lighted and the house also was set on fire. Neighbors, rushing in, extinguished the flames and found his mother-in-law in the yard.

Verdict of Suicide.

Harrow, England, Sept. 23.—A verdict of suicide while temporarily insane was returned today by the coroner's jury in the death here, September 11, of Mrs. Lawrence Perin, daughter of the late Victor A. Sartor of Philadelphia.

Lawrence Perin said his wife suffered from insomnia.

NO PLEDGES MADE TO ASSOCIATION OF TOBACCO CROP

Lyon, Livingston, Caldwell, Crittenden and Christian Counties Dropped

Big Bible School Parade at Lexington.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH OFFICERS

Guthrie, Ky., Sept. 23. (Special.)—The Planters' Protective association this morning voted to drop Hopkins, Caldwell, Lyon, Livingston and Crittenden counties from the association and take up their stock in view of the fact they had not secured any pledges for the 1909 crop. They will be received again if they show a reasonable amount of pledges.

Suspended For Attending Singing. Benton, Ky., Sept. 23. (Special.)—Several children, who attend singing school conducted at night by John Jeffrey, were suspended from the public school, of which Prof. H. H. Lovett is principal. The reason is that the teachers think children, who go to the singing school cannot do justice to their regular school work. It is probable that the matter will be taken before the school board.

Christian Convention.

Lexington, Ky., Sept. 23. (Special.)—The feature of today's session of the Kentucky Christian missionary convention is Sunday school work. There was a big parade of all Bible school pupils this afternoon, through the streets of Lexington. They will be addressed by Gano Buckner, of Owensboro.

Officers were elected yesterday as follows by the convention: President W. E. Ellis, of Cynthia; first vice president, Roger Clark, of Maysville; second vice president, Sam Bernard of Madisonville; recording secretary B. W. Trimble, of Mt. Sterling; corresponding secretary, H. W. Elliott of Sulphur.

Second of Twins Dies.

The two weeks' old twin baby of Mr. and Mrs. Neel Woods, of Melber, died last night, the other twin died Tuesday night. The burial was held this morning at the Concord cemetery.

County Treasurer Sentenced.

Buffalo, N. Y., Sept. 23.—Jared C. Wood, former cashier in the county treasurer's office, was sentenced to an indeterminate period of not over five years in Auburn prison for larceny in the second degree.

Floods in Syria.

Constantinople, Sept. 23.—A hundred are dead and 500 homes were destroyed by a flood in the northern portion of Syria. Hundreds of survivors are homeless, unclothed and starving. The severe rains were the cause.

Total Fire at Topeka.

Topeka, Kas., Sept. 23.—Harry Jones was killed by a falling building and H. G. Cutler, another fireman, was seriously injured. The Otto Kehne company loses \$125,000.

PASSENGER TRAIN STRIKES
BRAKE BEAM IN THE TRACK

What was thought an attempt to wreck the Fulton accommodation train at Wingo yesterday afternoon was only an accident. Near Wingo Engineer Joe Randle struck a brake beam, but an investigation was made and it was found that the brake beam was dropped off a freight train which preceded the passenger train.

Mr. Lassiter's Health Fails

The joint finance committee of the general council met this morning at the city hall and all settled with Architect A. L. Lassiter for his plans for the city hall. Mr. Lassiter's health is bad and he will leave tonight or in the morning for Asheville, N. C.

Chicago Market.

Dec.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat	99 1/2	98 3/4	98 3/4
Corn	60 1/2	59 1/4	59 1/4
Oats	39	38 3/4	38 3/4
Jan.	High.	Low.	Close.
Pro.	18.22	18.15	18.15
Lard	10.80	10.77	10.77
Ribs	9.65	9.60	9.60

Washington, Sept. 23.—The census bureau announced today that 5,055,350 bales of cotton were consumed during the year ending August 31, compared with 4,539,090 in 1908.

S.S.S. NATURE'S PERFECT TONIC

Something more than an ordinary tonic is required to restore health to a weakened, run-down system; the medicine must possess blood-purifying properties as well, because the weakness and impurity of the circulation is responsible for the poor physical condition. The blood does not contain the necessary quantity of rich, red corpuscles, and is therefore a weak, watery stream which cannot afford sufficient nourishment to sustain the system in ordinary health. A poorly nourished body cannot resist disease, and this explains why so many persons are attacked by a spell of sickness when the use of a good tonic would have prevented the trouble. In S.S.S. will be found both blood-cleansing and tonic qualities combined. It builds up weak constitutions by removing all impurities and germs from the blood, thus supplying a certain means for restoring strength and invigorating the system. The healthful, vegetable ingredients of which S.S.S. is composed make it splendidly fitted to the needs of those systems which are delicate from any cause. It is Nature's Perfect Tonic, free from all harmful minerals, a safe and pleasant acting medicine for persons of every age. S.S.S. rids the body of that tired, worn-out feeling so common at this season, improves the appetite and digestion, tones up the stomach, acts with pleasing effects on the nervous system, and reinvigorates every portion of the body.

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A Good Roof

For Sale By

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Hardware Dealers

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Week Starting Monday, SEPTEMBER

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MATINEE SATURDAY

Seat sale opens Saturday 10 a. m. at theatre.

Ladies' free tickets must be reserved at sale before 6 o'clock Monday evening.

GERTRUDE EWING CO.

Presenting Monday Night Ouida's Story of French Soldier Life,

"UNDER TWO FLAGS"

SPECIAL SCENERY AND COSTUMES.

Ladies free Monday night under usual conditions.

Prices 10c, 20c and 30c

The Evening Sun's Daily Markets.

Tobacco Market.

Louisville, Ky., Sept. 23.—The offerings on the local breaks follow: 1908 crop, Burley, 65; dark, 10; 1909 crop, Burley, 3. Original inspection, 147; reviews, 22; total 169. Rejections yesterday: Dark 20. First sale tomorrow at the Ninth street house.

Central Warehouse sold 11 hhd. burley at \$10 to \$16.50, and 28 hhd. dark at \$5.90 to \$9.90.

Farmers' Warehouse sold 13 hhd. burley at \$8 to \$16.50, and 1 hhd. new burley at \$8.80, and 4 hhd. dark at \$5.50 to \$9.90.

Kentucky warehouse sold 33 hhd. burley at \$10 to \$18, and 14 hhd. dark at \$4.15 to \$9.60.

Ninth street warehouse sold 20 hhd. dark at \$6.40 to \$10.

People's Warehouse sold 2 hhd. new burley at \$8.30 to \$12.50.

Treasury Statement.

Washington, Sept. 23.—The condition of the treasury at the beginning of today's business was as follows: Gold coin \$363,851,869; silver dollars \$484,204,000; silver dollars of 1890 4,090,000; silver certificates outstanding \$484,204,000.

Livestock.

Louisville, Ky., Sept. 23.—Cattle.—The receipts were 84 head for three days, 2,927 head. The attend-

CHILL WEATHER

This is the season when malarial poison pervades the air—makes you shiver and shake, feel hot when you're cold and cold when you're hot.

Nyal's Chill TONIC

will knock this poison out of your system when quinine, hot drinks and blankets have all failed. We sell it because it's the best thing we know for chills and fever.

50c

WHY DON'T YOU TRY IT?

GILBERT'S

Drug Store

Fourth and Broad Streets

PHONE 104

"GET IT AT GILBERT'S"

NAVAL VESSELS IN THE HUDSON

FIFTY-TWO VESSELS OF U. S. NAVY WILL GATHER.

Great British Ship Indefatigable Will Arrive Today, the Biggest, Speediest and Most Powerful

OF ALL THE VESSELS THERE

New York, Sept. 23.—The armada of war ships which will represent the United States at the Hudson-Fulton celebration steamed to anchor in the Hudson river above Grant's tomb. The Georgia led the fleet, followed by the battleships New Jersey, Nebraska, Rhode Island, Virginia, Wisconsin, Missouri and Ohio, and the armored cruisers Montana, North Carolina and New York, the scout cruisers Birmingham, Salem and Chester.

The flagship Connecticut led the second division composed of the Kansas, Minnesota, New Hampshire, Mississippi, Idaho and Vermont. Aster were the auxiliaries Culgoa, Prairie and Panther. The torpedo boats and submarines will arrive later. In all 52 vessels of the navy will be on the Hudson.

Powerful as are some of the American craft, none equals the British cruiser-battleship Indefatigable, Admiral Seymour's flagship, which will enter port tomorrow. Although armed with 12 inch guns the Indefatigable has a speed record equal to that of the Lusitania. Her battery is twice as powerful as any two American battleships.

The "Half Moon," a copy of Hudson's famous craft, was formally placed in commission today.

Mayor McClellan proclaimed the 28th and 30th holidays and urged business to close at noon, and give the employees an opportunity to witness the historical parades.

How Walter Camp Evolved the "Tackle-Back."

"A very interesting page from the Yale football annals is that which deals with the development of the famous 'tackle-back' formation which in 1900 enabled Yale to defeat Princeton 29-0 and Harvard 28-0," writes William T. Reid, Jr., in the October American Magazine. He continues:

"The formation was the work of Walter Camp and, like the play just described, was based wholly upon the defensive play of Yale's opponents.

"When Mr. Camp first gave the plays to the Yale team there were many of the coaches who declared that while they would probably succeed against minor teams they would never work against the bigger ones. The plays were too slow and heavy, they said. The feeling grew and grew, until just before the Indian game there was strong talk of abandoning the formation altogether. Mr. Camp, however, held out for it and to show his faith promised that if Yale did not defeat the Indian team by 30 points he would himself agree to a change. The Indian game came and Yale won it 36-0. From that time on all criticism stopped and the 'tackle-back' became a permanent part of Yale's offense."

You Can Lead a Horse to Water, But—

The bartender grasped the man next the stove by the shoulder and shook him until he was awake. "You won't get out, will you?" better go out and get some fresh air. It'll do you good."

Zeph merely granted, drunkenly, and huddled back in his chair. The bartender tried it again with like result.

"You won't get out, won't you?" he roared angrily. Seizing the unfortunate Zeph by the collar and the seat of the trousers, he escorted him forcibly to the alley. "Get out there in the air and brace up," was his parting advice.

"Y'kin put me out if y'like, but—" Zeph straightened up with drunken dignity—"ye can't make me take no air, durn ye!" Everybody's Magazine.

"TENTING TONIGHT."

Have you slept in a tent alone—a tent

Out under the desert sky—

Where a thousand thousand desert miles

All silent 'round you lie?

The dust of the aeons of ages dead,

And the peoples that tumbled by!

—Maggie Morris in Lippincott's.

We have tried to sleep in a tent—a tent

Our under the starry sky—

Where a thousand thousand winged things

Noisily 'round us fly.

But once was complete enough for us

And we liked to the flat in N. Y.

—New York Mail.

Notice to Abutting Property Owners

The inspection of reconstruction by grading and graveling the alley between Twelfth and Thirteenth streets running from Broadway to Jefferson street, will be made on Friday, September 24, 1909, at 4 o'clock p. m. Abutting property owners are notified accordingly.

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS.

By L. F. Kolb, Secretary.

L. A. Washington, City Engineer.

NOW ON STRIKE Millions of Stomachs Refuse to Do Their Work Properly.

All over this broad land millions of stomach owners are being held in humiliating subjection just because they are so stubborn that they will not accept a fair, square and broad minded offer.

Life is short for all of us; it will be shorter for those who let their stomachs go from bad to worse.

Gilbert's drug store has a famous prescription called Mi-o-na and he believes so thoroughly in its remarkable curative power that he says to every owner of a distressed stomach that he will guarantee Mi-o-na tablets to cure acute or chronic indigestion and all stomach ailments or money back, and the price is only 50 cents a box.

And still there are stubborn people right in Paducah who won't accept this offer but continue to suffer from gas on stomach, belching of sour food, stomach pains, fowl breath, dizziness, biliousness and headaches just because—just because—that's all, there is no other reason.

Mi-o-na tablets stop dyspeptic agony in five minutes; they cure obstinate cases of indigestion and turn the old stomach into a new one in a few weeks—or money back.

HYOMEI

Cures catarrh of money back. Just breathe it in. Complete outfit, including inhaler \$1. Extra bottles 50c. Druggists

BASEBALL NEWS

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Club:	W.	L.	Pct.
Louisville	90	73	.552
Milwaukee	88	73	.547
Minneapolis	86	75	.534
Indianapolis	81	82	.497
St. Paul	77	81	.487
Columbus	77	85	.473
Toledo	75	84	.470
Kansas City	69	90	.434

Results.

Louisville 4, St. Paul 2.	
Louisville 8, St. Paul 2.	
Toledo 6, Milwaukee 2.	
Milwaukee 0, Toledo 0.	Six innings; darkness.
Columbus 4, Minneapolis 3.	
Columbus 5, Minneapolis 4.	
Kansas City 4, Indianapolis 1.	
Indianapolis 3, Kansas City 2.	

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Club:	W.	L.	Pct.
Detroit	91	51	.642
Philadelphia	88	53	.625
Boston	83	59	.585
Chicago	70	70	.500
Cleveland	68	75	.475
New York	66	73	.475
St. Louis	60	81	.425
Washington	39	103	.275

Washington, Sept. 23.—The combination of puzzling pitching by Mullin and extraordinary hitting by Crawford, Cobb and Moriarty proved too much for Washington, and Detroit won easily. Mullin allowed but three hits, and with perfect fielding back of him he should have scored an easy shut out.

Dixie Walker, the recruit secured from Zanesville, was pounded to all corners by the Tigers. In the first few innings Walker pitched effective ball, but in the fourth he began to weaken. In the eighth the game was won on a single by Cobb, a triple by Crawford and safeties by Moriarty and Schmidt. The Tigers gathered three in the ninth, making the game three to one. A running back-hand catch by Leivelt and a double play by Gessler



A Fresh, Cool COMPLEXION

is especially delightful and attractive in warm weather, when most skins are red and perspiring.

If you use good toilet preparations it doesn't require much care to maintain this cool, fresh appearance in spite of the heat. We sell a number of excellent toilet requisites.

Reall Cream of Almonds is a pure, delightful preparation, free from grease or oil. It whitens, softens and soothes the skin, removes facial blemishes and insures a fresh, fair complexion. Sold with the Reall guarantee. Per bottle, 35 cents.

McPherson's

Drug Store

Fourth and Broadway

to Street, featured the game, with the batting of Crawford and Cobb.

Score: R H E

Washington 3 3 3

Detroit 8 16 2

Walker and Street; Mullin and Schmidt. Umpires—Evans and Di-

neen.

Krause Stops St. Louis.

Philadelphia, Sept. 23.—St. Louis played Peltz at shortstop, and with Gilligan, a minor league recruit, in the box, was an easy winner for the pennant chasing Athletics. The locals won mainly because they bunched hits in three sessions and because eleven of the visitors fanned. The locals started the bombardment in the second. Baker was an easy out. Davis walked, went to second on a passed ball and to third on a wild throw. He scored when Murphy singled.

McInnis rapped out a home run, scoring Murphy in ahead of him. St. Louis came right back. Davis fumbled Crompton's grounder and the runner was safe. Shotten singled to left, Heilmuller; fumbling the ball. Both runners advanced a peg. Crompton scored on a sacrifice fly.

The visitors got their last in the fifth. Peltz singled, Griggs hit to McInnis and Peltz was forced out. Collins made a wild throw trying for a double and Griggs got to second. Devoys singled, scoring Griggs. Coombs was dickered for Krause, who held the visitors safe for the rest of the game. In the sixth and seventh the locals got busy with their bats and scored three more runs, assisted by a misjudged fly that dropped safe and a wild throw.

Score: R H E

Philadelphia 6 9 4

St. Louis 2 8 2

Coombs, Krause and Livingstone; Gilligan and Smith. Umpires—Perrine and O'Laughlin.

Mitchell's One Bad Inning.

Boston, Sept. 23.—With Willie Mitchell, a college recruit from the south, pitching for the visitors, Boston defeated Cleveland 3 to 1. In the fourth inning the locals scored three times on three singles, an error, a hit batsman and a sacrifice. Wood was effective and received brilliant support, especially from McConnell.

Score: R H E

Cleveland 1 5 2

Boston 3 7 1

Mitchell and Easterly; Wood and Donohue. Umpires—Egan and Sheridan.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Club:	W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburgh	103	36	.742
Chicago	92	45	.672
New York	81	53	.605
Cincinnati	70	68	.509
Philadelphia	67	72	.483
St. Louis	48	86	.358
Brooklyn	47	88	.349
Boston	39	99	.283

Mathewson Adds a Game.

St. Louis, Sept. 23.—St. Louis lost to New York in the first game of a scheduled double-header. The second game was called after three innings, with the score of 4 to 0 in favor of St. Louis.

Score: R H E

New York 4 3 5

St. Louis 3 12 2

Mathewson and Meyers; Lauder-milk, Beebe and Phelps. Umpires—Brennan and O'Day.

Teams in Long Tie.

Cincinnati, Sept. 23.—Cincinnati and Philadelphia played 14 innings to a tie, a great one-handed catch by Magee saving Philadelphia from defeat in the final round. Cincinnati tied in the ninth. Philadelphia again took the lead in the fourteenth by scoring two, which Cincinnati duplicated, the game then being called on account of darkness.

Score: R H E

Cincinnati 4 11 3

Philadelphia 4 8 0

Fromme, Gaspar and Roth; Moren, McQuillan, and Doolin. Umpires—Emell and K'ern.

Cooney Receives Rumping.

Pittsburgh, Sept. 23.—Pittsburgh hit hard and often. Each side used three pitchers. Pittsburgh made six two-baggers and a home run. Bill Cooney, late of Haverhill, was on the mound for the first time for Boston.

Score: R H E

Pittsburgh 12 13 2

Boston 7 11 0

Leffeld, Leever, Willis and Gibson; Brown, Richie, Cooney and Graham. Umpires—Kane and Rigler.

Columbus Won Two Games.

Columbus, O., Sept. 23.—Columbus practically ruined the pennant chances of Minneapolis by taking both games. The Minneapolis shortstop, Oyer, was hit on the head by a pitched ball in the eighth inning of the first game and is now in a hospital. His condition is said to be serious. During the second game Empire Hayes banished President Cantillon and Player Clymer, of Minneapolis, from the field.

Japs Beat Badgers.

Tokio, Sept. 23.—The University of Wisconsin baseball team, which is making a tour of Japan, was defeated in its first game by the Kelo university nine. The score was 3 to 2, with Wisconsin making seven hits and Kelo hitting safely only three times. Kelo made only two errors, while the invading nine had four errors on its side.

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It's Back to the Mines for All Pads—Skirt Below Knees Like Man With 23 Drinks.

Chicago, Ill., Sept. 23.—The Hindoo fakirs, who could make a boy climb a pole and vanish when he reached the top, have nothing on the modern dressmaker. This much was made clear today by Mme. Ripley, who assured an amazed male at the Dressmakers' convention that a "Modiste" thinks nothing of taking 3 inches from a tall woman's stature or adding as much to a short woman. Through the same necromancy the adding of 39 needed pounds or the elimination of as much superfluous avoirdupois is a mere detail of the craft.

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The Hon. Pate Allen, Tampa and Hillsborough county's one and only original farmer of bullfrogs and grower of that edible commodity frogs' legs, will please take note that a rival has entered his hitherto undisputed field of commercial endeavor. The following is taken from the Pensacola News:

A well known gentleman of this city has recently received pamphlets from the department of agriculture on the raising of the large food bullfrog. It is the purpose of the gentleman to shortly start the culture of the frog on quite an extensive plan. It is also the intention of the gentleman to get a large collection of the best bullfrogs he can find and put them in a large marsh that is located near his place in Santa Rosa county, fencing the marsh in in such a manner that the snakes cannot get into it. It is thought by the gentleman that he can thus raise a large number of healthy bullfrogs for the market and make a good profit out of the business.

"Cultivated" Frogs.

The gentleman had the following to say regarding the raising of frogs to an Evening News man:

"I have been living in Escambia and Santa Rosa counties for the last ten years, and have noticed the plentifulness of bullfrogs that are in the fresh water bodies in both counties. The frogs grow to monstrous size and seem to thrive in this section of the country. I think that a large and better grade of frog can be raised with proper care, and I think that the raising of the frog will make a comfortable living for the man who engages in the business. I shall attempt to raise frogs this summer."

"I wrote to the department of agriculture some months ago inquiring as to the method of raising the frog and have received a pamphlet giving me full directions as to the best methods of raising frogs in this section of the country. The government publishes a circular with the pamphlet, saying that there is unlimited opportunity for the culture of the frog in this section of the country. I understand from the circular that government experts came to the two counties a few years ago and made a thorough examination of the best manner of raising the frog."

"My intention is to fence in the marsh that is on my place and start a frog farm in it. I shall get all the snakes out of the place and keep it as clean as possible, so that the frogs will be healthy at all times. I shall have the inclosure large enough to accommodate a large number of the croakers."

An Ample Market.
"I believe that there is an ample market for them in Pensacola, as all of the restaurants and hotels buy them whenever they can. The reason for the great scarcity of frogs in the city at the present time is not that they are scarce, but that they are rather difficult to catch."

"I am a firm believer in the work and shall set out with an eye to succeed. If I do succeed in establishing a new industry for Pensacola and the surrounding country I hope the people of the county will take the matter up and see what they can do with it. It seems to me that all a man has to have is a mud puddle in his back yard and put some frogs in it, put a fence around it and feed the frogs. The climate is natural to them and they will thrive in spite of all efforts to exterminate them. If they are given a little attention a large high-grade frog can be raised."

—Tampa, Fla., Times.

Your First Trout.
(By May McHenry.)
Far back in the mountains I know of a hill

That splashes and dashes and never is still.

As it chafes o'er the rocks on its way down the hill,

We will fish therabout.

And thick overhead do the green branches lean,

With only a glimpse of the sky to be seen,

And a shiver and quiver of sunlight between.

That's a nibble, no doubt!

And the slippery rocks are all covered with moss,

And the rush of the falls makes the spray leap and toss,

Is the pool deep and green where the foam whirled across—

And the wind sings a song through the trees, beech and pine,

And the song of the water is sung all the time.

But the gayest of all is the song of the time,

Where you land your first trout.

Editor.—This lady declares that you have a lot of the best trout in the world. The trout are not all the same, but the best are the ones that are caught in the mountains. The trout are not all the same, but the best are the ones that are caught in the mountains.

OMAHA STRIKERS ENGAGE IN RIOT

EIGHT STRIKE BREAKERS INJURED, ONE FATALITY.

Police to the Rescue—One Man Was Injured While Protecting Woman and Child in His Car.

NO ATTEMPT TO RUN CARS

Omaha, Neb., Sept. 23.—Eight strike-breakers were injured, one person fatally, John Petrick, a bystander shot through the hip and eight cars were partially demolished as the result of the street railway riots last night.

The injured men, except Patrick Petrick, are strikebreakers. Their names are unknown. James Fitzpatrick, another strikebreaker, was struck by missiles while attempting to shield a woman and child who were riding on his car. A car being switched to the barn at Twenty-fourth and Vinton streets was derailed at 8 o'clock by a partly open switch.

A crowd gathered, jeering the crew. Two other cars arriving, a blockade followed. A building in the course of construction furnished ammunition and every window and door in the car were quickly broken with stones and bricks. A squad of strikebreakers were rushed from the barn armed with switch irons and were about charging on the crowd when the officers arrived and checked the conflict.

Meanwhile a motor burned out on a car at Thirteenth and Vinton streets and the crowd there charged the car and handled the conductor and motor man roughly before they were rescued by officers. The crowd had gathered at Sixteenth and Vinton streets and as the officers came up with two strikebreakers several shots were fired, one of which struck Petrick.

Five cars were blocked two blocks west of where the shooting occurred, and the crowd hurled missiles through the windows. Two of the men in charge of the cars were seriously injured. One was struck in the abdomen by a brick, and another on the head. Both were rescued by the police. One was unconscious.

Two cars in the northwest part of the city were attacked and smashed.

Two Million Victims of the Hookworm.

Marion Hamilton Carter, in telling about the hookworm victims of the South in the October McClure's says:

"One's first and strongest impression of the 'poor whites' is of their shiftlessness. I remember how dreadfully it used to depress me years ago when I spent my vacations in the North Carolina mountains. I have been in little windowless, stoveless one room cabins, the home of at least ten persons, where all the cooking was done over the primitive open fire—except when it rained down the chimney and put the fire out; then there wasn't any cooking till the rain held up! And as I talked with the women I was always asking myself, 'How can people live like this? Why don't they go to work and fix things up?'"

"It was only gradually that it dawned on me that they couldn't fix things up—they had barely enough energy to keep soul and body together, as it was. Everybody had a 'misery.' One had a 'misery of the heart,' another of the stomach, a third had 'the blood,' and a fourth was wasted to a skeleton. They tried to work, but they couldn't. It wasn't in them. One poor mother said that she and her husband were 'terrible discouraged,' for it seems like it takes all we-all make to pay the doctor; they ain't really any thing left to live on."

"A little imbecile girl lay on the bed beside her, and whispered to me proudly, 'I have spells—I have spells,' smiling happily at the distinction 'spells' conferred; the other children moved about the cabin like octogenarians."

"It is estimated that scattered over the Atlantic seaboard, from the Potomac, round the Gulf to the Mississippi river, there are today two millions of these poor whites—our native-born whites—suffering with anemia, and hardly one of those two millions, knows, or even suspects, that he is really suffering from an internal parasite—that his disease is caused by the hookworm."

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A garden rake;

She could not sew.

She could not darn.

She could not knit.

Socks out of yarn.

And she could not.

A husband get;

So she became

A suffragette

And joined a club

Whose motto said:

"Till we can vote"

We shall not wed."

—Houston Post.

Brownsville Court of Review is Working Hard But Quietly on Case.

Washington, Sept. 23. (United Press.)—Working quietly but steadily in a little old building near the war department in this city, the commission appointed under authority of congress to investigate the Brownsville, (Texas) shooting scrape is engaged in the last effort to prove or disprove the participation in that affair of members of the twenty-fifth colored infantry, a whole battalion of whom were discharged from the army by President Roosevelt "without honor."

This celebrated case, which formerly occupied columns of space in the newspapers and became a political issue, has apparently dropped out of the public mind and nothing has been heard of it recently. There is, however, a tremendous amount of work being done upon it and when the labors are completed it is confidently expected that the question as to who "shot up" Brownsville will be pretty clearly established and that many of the colored soldiers who are punished for their alleged "conspiracy of silence," in the absence of direct proof that they actually took part in the affray, will be exonerated.

The commission, which is composed of retired army officers of high rank, is headed by Maj. Gen. S. M. E. Young. The recorder of the court is Captain Howland, a young officer attached to the judge advocate general's office, and probably no more arduous task was ever laid upon an army lawyer than that in which he is now engaged.

During the three years since the shooting occurred there have been seven or eight separate investigations of the affair, beginning with that made by the citizens of Brownsville themselves, running through several military inquiries, and ending with that made by the United States senate under the leadership of Senator Foraker.

The records of all of these investigations have been made part of the records of the present court. There were 353 different witnesses examined, many of them testifying at practically all of the investigations. Proceeding much like a supreme court in chambers, General Young's commission has been working all summer in sifting and arranging the testimony. Most of the preliminary work has fallen upon Recorder Howland. He has taken the testimony

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Miss Cayenne—Oh, he said you seemed to be going to the dogs.

Chicago News.

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Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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—Individual hot lunch every night at the Palmer House bar at 9 o'clock.
—Miss Sarah Miller, 305 Clements street, is ill.
—The Ladies' Mite society of the First Baptist church will meet Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the home of Mrs. H. E. White, Sixth and Washington streets.
—J. C. Rountree, a farmer of Sharp, Marshall county, jumped from his wagon on the city scales lot yesterday afternoon and dislocated his left knee. The dislocation was reduced and he is able to be about with a cane.
—For fast driving Stella Collier and Lizzie Hughes were placed under arrest at Fourth street and Broadway last night. Both were fined \$5 today.

—In alighting from a Broadway car at Fourth street and Broadway yesterday afternoon, Mrs. E. R. Ferrell, 1300 Broadway, turned her right ankle, dislocating it.
—Recovery now seems assured for W. D. Hedge, whose right leg was ground off by a street car Tuesday night. He was resting easy today at Riverside hospital and the physicians believe his constitution will pull him through.

—The steamer R. Dunbar will make a trip to Cairo Sunday to see the U. S. torpedo flotilla. Fare for the round trip \$1.00. Leave Paducah 9 a. m. Leave Cairo at 5 p. m.

—Lightning struck the stock barn of Boone Willard, who resides at Sharpe, and demolished the structure. One colt was killed by the shock. It will be necessary to rebuild the barn completely.

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In honor of her fifth birthday, little Miss Virginia Hart entertained yesterday afternoon at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. B. Hart, Nineteenth and Jefferson streets with a lawn party. The evening was spent in enjoyable games and other amusements. The little hostess received many beautiful gifts in honor of the occasion and each guest was presented with a pretty memento of the event. Delicious refreshments were served to the little guests and the afternoon was one that will linger long in the minds of the young children. There were about 60 children present.

Mr. Vernon Thomas Marries Miss Shumate, of Newbern.

Mr. J. Vernon Thomas and Miss Mack Shumate, of Newbern, Tenn., were married at Newbern Tuesday night. The wedding was a surprise to their friends, the first announcement received here coming in a message from Mr. Thomas to his mother last night. Mr. Thomas is a traveling representative for L. S. DuBois, Son & Company and is popular in business and social circles. Miss Shumate is the daughter of Mr. Q. Shumate, cashier of the Newbern bank, and is a very handsome and accomplished young lady. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas are expected in Paducah tonight.

Mrs. Frank Welton and little daughter, Jeanette, of Memphis, are visiting Mrs. Spore and Mrs. Counts, of 1208 South Sixth street.

Mrs. Mary Carroll has returned to Smithland after a visit to L. P. Tranton, of O'Brien's addition.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Martin and Mrs. A. M. Chastain have returned from Niagara Falls, Buffalo and other eastern cities. Mr. Martin attended the Master Car and Locomotive Painters' convention, which was held at Niagara Falls.

Miss Mary Bayham, 2316 Broadway, is ill, being threatened with fever.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Faust have gone to Nashville to attend the state fair.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Faust have returned from Chicago and Grand Rapids.

Mr. John R. Scott, who has been representing R. J. Reynolds & Company, with Paducah as headquarters for the past three years, has gone into the grocery and grain business at Dresden, Tenn.

Messrs. Joseph Gockel and Robert Trantham returned this morning from Chicago, where they visited a week.

W. F. Purdy, Jr., of Bandana, was in the city last night on business.

Mr. E. E. Bell has gone to Logansport, Ind., his former home, on a visit to relatives and friends.

Mrs. Kate Bonnin has returned to her home in Louisville, after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kahn.

Mr. L. S. Gleaves left this morning for Nashville to attend the state fair. He will accompany Mrs. Gleaves home after a month's visit.

Mrs. Leslie Jones, of Bridge street, is ill of appendicitis, but is improving slowly.

Mr. W. J. Rye and son, Wayne Rye, left this morning for Nashville to attend the Tennessee state fair.

Mr. John Rogers, of Memphis, is in the city on a visit.

Mrs. Sherman Phillips and Miss Clara Phillips, 312 South Third street, have returned home from Dawson Springs. Miss Phillips was taken ill.

Mr. Joe Gockel returned home this morning after a week's visit to Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry F. Singleton returned from their bridal trip to Chicago and other northern cities this morning.

Mrs. Mabel Arnold, of Memphis, is visiting Mrs. Nancy Joiner, of 629 McKinley avenue.

Col. R. M. Levy returned last night from Benton after a trip on business.

Hon. John M. Moore, of LaCenter, is in the city today on business. Commonwealth's Attorney John G. Lovett returned to his home in Benton this afternoon after a trip on business.

Mr. E. B. Guthrie, of Los Angeles, is in the city on business.

Mr. Harold Fisher left this morning for St. Louis on business.

Mr. E. E. Bell, assistant postmaster, left this morning for Logansport, Ind., to attend the celebration of the golden wedding of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Bell.

Mrs. Nellie Wetherington, of 315 South Third street, and little Miss Bessie Costleman, went to Brookport Wednesday to visit relatives.

Mr. F. B. May left this morning for Dawson Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Watson, 837 Jefferson street, will leave tomorrow for Hopkinsville on a short visit to relatives and friends.

Dr. P. V. Kimbrough, of Maxon Mills, who has been ill of fever, is improving.

Miss Willie Mae Maddox, of Benton, returned home this afternoon after a visit to Miss Lala Robinson 717 South Fourth street.

Waterways Men in Paris.

Paris, Sept. 23.—The members of the American waterways commission arrived here yesterday from Brussels and plan to spend five days examining the river Seine and other typical French waterways. Senator Burton said the commission had obtained information of immense value for development of waterways in the United States.

COOK

PUBLISHER AND THEATRICAL MANAGERS ARE AFTER HIM.

Will First Prepare Records of Discovery Upon Which He Depends to Convince World.

New York, Sept. 23.—"Home" will not mean rest for Dr. Frederick A. Cook for weeks yet. He arose after ten hours' sleep to find piled in the sitting room of his suite at the Waldorf-Astoria nearly 1,000 letters and telegrams from all parts of the world. So he shut himself up with the young English secretary whom United States Minister Egan had sent with him from Copenhagen and went to work.

Dr. Cook will stay in his rooms practically all the time until tomorrow. Many of the letters are from the theatrical managers, publishers, commercial bodies and civic organizations offering engagements, or requesting speeches.

Dr. Cook has put all but the finishing touches to the first book narrative of his polar expeditions, but it is probable that he will write a series of magazine articles also. His first labor will be the preparation of the record of his discovery, upon which he depends to convince the scientific world that his claims are well founded. He has not commented on Commander Peary's decision to remain in comparative retirement until the question of polar supremacy is settled. Dr. Cook says he will make a trip through western states to lecture.

Floater for Aeroplane.

New York, Sept. 23.—To avoid the danger of falling into the water during their coming aeroplane flights here, Wilbur Wright and Glen H. Curtiss have arranged to provide floating supports for their machines. Wright will carry a canoe and Curtiss will carry two pontoons.

Stanton Will Be Dry.

Staunton, Va., Sept. 23.—After a hard fight put up by the "wets" in the local option election held here on July 22 last, the contest was decided in favor of the "drys," the latter winning by 22 votes. This city, therefore, will be "dry" after October 22 next.

Freight Wreck at Sharon.

Fulton, Ky., Sept. 23.—Extra seven, south-bound freight on the Illinois Central railroad, in charge of Conductor Cooper, was wrecked at a point one-half mile south of Sharon, Tenn. Two loaded cars and four empties were derailed. The main line was blocked four hours. Passenger train No. 5 was derailed over the Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis, from Martin to McKenzie, and thence over the Louisville & Nashville to Milan. The Fulton wrecker cleared up the wreck.

TWO COUPLES MARRIED BY METROPOLIS 'SQUIRE.

Metropolis, Sept. 23. (Special.)—Clarence J. Jones, 22, and Lola W. Wagner, 19, were married here yesterday by Magistrate Liggett. They were accompanied here by Jesse Carneal and Florence Jones. They came to the ferry landing in buggies and crossed on the ferry. Charles E. Bowland, 21, railroad fireman, and Eva Johnson, 18, were also married yesterday by Magistrate Liggett. They came down yesterday on the Cowling and returned on the Dunbar to Paducah.

CANAL WORK PROGRESSES.

Ships Will Be Running Through to Pacific By 1915.

Nashville, Tenn., Sept. 23.—Col. George W. Goethals, chairman of the Panama canal commission and engineer in charge, who is here with Gen. Fred D. Grant as guests of Secretary of War Dickinson, in an interview, among other things, said that the entire working force on the canal which in July numbered 34,682 men of different nationalities, is progressing smoothly with the extensive operations in hand. He expects that ships will be sailing through the canal by 1915. The president, he says, desires that the work be completed by 1913, but Colonel Goethals does not think it will be possible to do this. He says of the total number of men employed there are 6,000 Americans, 4,000 Spaniards and the rest are West Indian negroes.

When a man or woman finds sickness coming on, such as indigestion, weak eyes, kidney trouble, etc., it is time some attention is given to the subject of food and drink.

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NEWS OF COURTS

Deeds Filled.

Charles K. Wellie to Minnie Wellie, property at Twenty-third street and Broadway, \$1.

James Wellie to Minnie K. Wellie, property at Twenty-third street and Broadway, \$1.

In Police Court.

Drunkness—M. Bonfield, fined \$1 and costs. Breach of peace—Elsie Every, fined \$20. Breach of ordinance—Stella Collier and Lizzie Hughes, fined \$5 each.

Court of Appeals.

The court of appeals yesterday ordered an oral argument in the life insurance case of Mrs. Belle A. O'Brien vs. Mutual Benefit Life Insurance company, and set the case on October 19 next for such hearing. The case involves the liability of the company to Mrs. O'Brien for \$5,000 on a policy issued to her husband Pat O'Brien, during his life time. Mrs. O'Brien had judgments in McCracken circuit court, but on appeal the judgments were reversed on March 7, 1909. Petition for rehearing was filed March 16, 1909, by Mrs. O'Brien on which it has since been pending and on which the court now orders the oral argument by the attorney, before the court of appeals.

Deeds Filled.

W. R. Holland and Mary Holland to Gus T. Smith, property in Harris Flournoy and Trimble addition, \$600. E. D. Thurman to Gus T. Smith property in Thurman's addition, \$50. W. R. Holland and Mary Holland to Gus T. Smith, property on North Sixth street near Trimble street, \$1.

Marriage Licenses.

J. A. Thompson, 64, of McCracken county, second marriage, farmer, and Lizzie Brookshire, 24, of Graves county, first marriage.

Suits Filed in Circuit Court.

Mary Cary filed suit for divorce against Joseph Cary. The couple was married in 1890 and separated in 1895.

CORPSES SWEEP UP

(Continued from Page One.)

The storm along the east gulf coast received today, indicate that the damage was even heavier than first reported. It is now definitely known that only one man lost his life at Bay St. Louis, a fisherman, name unknown, was drowned Monday. A number of other places are yet to be heard from, but it is not thought probable that any more loss of life will be reported.

The long railroad bridge at Bay St. Louis is a complete wreck and it will be weeks before it is repaired. When the storm struck the bridge George Doherty, a Western Union fireman, working out of New Orleans, was attempting to repair the wires so that communication could be re-established. Doherty saw the storm was growing worse and started for the west end of the bridge. Before he had reached his railroad vehicle, a hundred yards away, the water was running on the tracks, and he left the machine to walk forward to see if the track was safe for him to proceed. He had hardly stepped from the machine before it was lifted high into the air and carried far out into the bay.

Held to Bridge Ties.

"I was thrown flat on the bridge and only saved myself by locking my arm around one of the ties," said Doherty, in describing his experience on his arrival here today. "There were three negroes in my gang, and they finally reached me. By that time the waves were tearing up the bridge, and we were lashed a number of times together with our wire, launching it just as the section of the bridge on which we were standing was swept away.

"The waves were running at least 50 feet high, and if we had not lashed ourselves to the raft with wire we would have been drowned. The bridge went down Sunday, and we were washed around in the bay until Monday afternoon.

—Mrs. A. C. CLARK'S FALL OPENING, 1909, TOMORROW, 23 AT L. B. OGILVIE CO.

Mr. S. P. Doughitt, of Paris, Tenn is in the city today on business.

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FRONT ROOM for rent, with or without board. Old phone 1949. 421 South Sixth.

UPHOLSTERING and furniture repairing. New phone 1496; old 798-r.

FOR SALE—Art-Garland Base burner in perfect condition. Apply 1434 Broadway.

FOR RENT—Flats, 7th and Broadway. All outside rooms. Old phone 1218-a.

WANTED—Man to press ladies' tailor suits. None but experienced need apply. J. A. Rudy & Sons.

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FOR RENT—Large, cool room with bath. Mrs. Woolfolk, 408 Washington.

FOR SALE—Four-year-old Patchmore colt. Perfectly gentle and city broke. Address H. R., care Sun.

FOR RENT—8-room house in residence locality. Possession given Oct. 1. Phone 86.

WANTED—To buy a horse, 15½ hands high. Apply F. N. Gardner, Jr., 114 South Third street.

WANTED—Position as clerk wholesale or retail. Address C. C. this office.

FOR SALE—At a bargain, practically new, latest improved range. Also one heater. P. O. Box 543.

FOR SALE—Solid mahogany colonial table, top 24x24. Cost \$14.50. For \$5.00. Old phone 1681.

WANTED—Two scrubwomen at The Kentucky Theater tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock.

WANTED—Position as stenographer. Six years' experience. Address E. R., care Sun.

FOR RENT—Front room and bath on North Fifth street. Three blocks from postoffice. Phone 1467-A, or 132.

COOK WANTED—Colored girl to cook and do housework. Small family, good wages. Apply at once 1616 Jefferson street. Old phone 2355.

FURNISHED ROOMS for rent—Call 1582-a or phone, or call a 417½ Washington for full particulars.

ILLINOIS Coal and Feed company, 16th and Tennessee streets wants your order for food and coal. Quality and weights guaranteed.

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FOR SALE—Three hundred 2-horse loads dry heating wood, \$1.25 per cord. Johnston Fuel company. Both phones 293.

THE 46TH SERIES of Mechanics' Building & Loan Association is now open for the subscription in stock. F. M. Fisher, Secretary.

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LOUISVILLE MAN DERANGED.

C. F. Vogler Acts Wildly in Cincinnati—Is Held.

Cincinnati, Sept. 22.—C. Fred Vogler, said to be a councilman of Louisville, Ky., who had been missing three days and who is said to be mentally ill, is held at central police station. Vogler was taken into custody after an exciting scene in the automobile of Theatrical Manager James Pennessy at Sixth and Vine streets Sunday night. Pennessy sent his chauffeur into the Havlin hotel to get a friend. While he was waiting Vogler jumped on the running-board and declared that he wanted to hire

the automobile. Pennessy told him that the machine was engaged. The automobile was then started and Vogler began an attack on Pennessy. Pennessy stopped the machine and a patrolman placed Vogler under arrest. Vogler fought the officer and was with much difficulty taken to central station. Here he raved and tore at his cell bars. A telegram was sent to Louisville, and the word came back that Vogler had been missing for three days. He had said that he was going to visit friends at Newport, Ky., earlier in the day, sent a number of telegrams to friends in Louisville, and it was plain to those who received them that there was something wrong.

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CHARGES AGAINST DENNINGTON AND WHITEMORE FAIL.

Commissioners Unanimous in Verdict But Every Reported Case Will Be Tried.

THEY SAY IT WAS SPITE WORK

Patrolmen Whittemore and Dennington were dismissed of the charge of misconduct while on duty last night when the board of fire and police commissioners heard the evidence of the alleged "joy ride." The only point in the case was whether the police drove around Broadway after the finding of the horse and buggy had been reported to the police station, but they proved to the satisfaction of the commissioners that the horse stepped on the pavement a few minutes after he was taken in charge. Robert Hicks, former city license inspector, said he told Patrolmen Whittemore and Dennington that the horse was his and that it was he who drove the horse on the sidewalk. He said he was to blame and that it was all done in a spirit of fun.

Mayor Smith informed the members that charges of misconduct had been preferred against Patrolmen Whittemore and Dennington and he called the board together for an investigation. J. C. Presnell, merchant policeman, was the first witness called, and he testified that he was at the fire station on North Fourth street when he heard loud talking and said Patrolmen Whittemore and Dennington and Mr. Hicks drove by and turned at Jefferson street a few minutes later. He said he walked to Broadway, and he saw the three men drive up to Louis Caporal's fruit stand. Somebody said: "Let's drive him up there," and while the horse was standing at the edge of the sidewalk, he said Mr. Hicks tapped the horse which walked upon the sidewalk and stuck his head in the door. He said he did not know who was driving, but Patrolman Whittemore led the horse off the sidewalk.

Dr. J. D. Robertson said he was in the fruit store talking when the two patrolmen said they found the horse and Mr. Hicks said it was his. He said he saw nothing out of the way.

Louis Caporal, proprietor of the store, said it was about 1:50 o'clock when the horse was driven on the sidewalk. Standing in the door he said he held the horse by the bit whether the buggy was on the sidewalk he said he did not know, and said he heard nothing said about giving the horse a glass of soda water.

Robert B. Hicks testified that he saw Patrolmen Whittemore and Dennington, and when they mentioned finding the horse and buggy he told them the rig was his. He stepped into the buggy and they made a circle over to Broadway from Fourth street. He said he took the lines from Patrolman Whittemore and tapped the horse. The front feet were on the sidewalk but the buggy remained in the street. Patrolman Whittemore grabbed the lines quickly, he said, and the horse was backed off. The incident, he said, was done in the spirit of fun and he shouldered the blame.

Patrolman Whittemore said Hicks told a connected story. The rig was found in front of Gray's saloon on Fourth street, and was driven around to Broadway when Hicks claimed it. In a few minutes he said the horse was driven to the police station.

Patrolman Dennington said Presnell had a grudge against them because they found two doors unlocked and did not tell him. He said Presnell accused them of trying to beat him out of his job. In answer to questions of Mr. Presnell, Patrolman Dennington denied they drove on North Fourth street.

Sergeant Lige Cross said he knew of nothing irregular about the affair. Mr. Sutherland made a motion that the charge against the two patrolmen be dismissed. Mr. Rieke seconded it and the motion passed unanimously.

Present at the meeting were: Mayor Smith and Commissioners Frank Rieke, R. R. Sutherland and Mann Clark.

After the trial the commissioners said they considered Patrolmen Dennington and Whittemore among the best men on the police force, and were glad the charges were not proved. However, to keep harmony in the force no favorites will be played and every alleged violation will be investigated.

The Naval Orange.

The first we know of the naval orange, which is very valuable not only on account of its fine quality and taste, but also because of its being seedless, is of a single tree that was found growing on the northern shore of the Mediterranean sea. This was about the year 1565 or nearly 350 years ago. A monk in a monastery in that faraway country painted a picture of the fruit and wrote a description of it, both of which may be seen in the library of the Roman Catholic university at Washington. D. C. Grafts of this tree were taken to Spain by the monks and from there were carried to South America by the Spaniards.

Church Growth in America Shows It is Exceeding Population Increase.

Washington, Sept. 22.—That the church members in the United States numbered nearly thirty-three millions in 1906; that there were a billion and a quarter dollars invested in church edifices; that every day eight new churches sent their spires skyward; that males formed considerably less than half the total church membership; that a larger percentage of Catholic males than Protestant males were members; that in 16 states the majority of the total church membership were Roman Catholic; but that of the grand total church members reported for the United States 61.6 per cent were Protestants and 36.7 per cent Roman Catholics; these are the salient and conspicuous facts appearing in the proof sheets of a United States census bureau bulletin, prepared by Chief Statistician William C. Hunt, of the division of population, of the United States census bureau.

The bulletin will be issued this month. It is in the nature of an abstract of the comprehensive report, now in press, giving the results of the fifth census of religious bodies in the United States.

Few Male Members.
It is stated that United States census statistics of church membership by sex were collected for the first time in 1906. Of the total number of members reported by the various religious bodies and classified by sex, 43.1 per cent were males and 66.9 per cent females. Among the Protestants the difference was greater, only 39.3 per cent being males. In the Roman Catholic churches there were relatively more males, the number forming 49.3 per cent of the total membership.

Fewer males than females were found among the Latter-day Saints, the Lutherans, Disciples, Methodists, Baptists, Presbyterians and Protestants. Episcopalians, the percentages of male members decreasing in the order shown, and there being but 35.5 per cent male among the Episcopalians. Among the Christian Scientists, only 27.6 per cent were males; and of the Shakers but 21.3 per cent; but, in the Greek Orthodox church, 93.9 per cent were male, as practically all Greek immigrants have been males.

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Proportion to Population.

Of the total estimated population of continental United States in 1906, the church members formed 39.1 per cent, as against 32.7 per cent for 1890, amounting to 6.4 per cent more than in 1906 than in 1890. Of this 6.4 per cent increase, the Roman Catholic church is credited with 4.4 per cent and the Protestants with 1.8 per cent; the remainder being divided among all other denominations.

It is stated in the bulletin that the total number of members reported by the various religious bodies for 1906 was 32,936,445, of which number the Protestants were credited with 20,287,742, and the Roman Catholics with 12,079,142. Of the Protestant bodies the Methodists numbered 5,749,838; the Baptists, 5,662,234; the Lutherans, 2,112,494; the Presbyterians, 1,830,555; and the Disciples or Christians, 1,142,359.

Of the total of 32,936,445 church members, 61.6 per cent were Protestants; 36.7 per cent Roman Catholic, and 1.7 per cent members of other religious organizations. The rate of increase shown for the Roman Catholic church is 93.5 per cent, which is more than twice that for all the Protestant bodies combined. The Methodists reported 17.5 per cent of all Protestant church members; the Baptists, 17.2 per cent.

Increase in Organizations.
The total number of local religious organizations in 1906 is given as 212,239, an increase since 1890 of 40,979, or 28.5 per cent. The Protestants are credited with an increase in this particular amounting to 27.8 per cent; the Roman Catholic, 21.9 per cent; the Jewish congregations, 23.1 per cent, and the Latter-day Saints, 33.5 per cent.

The Methodists reported the largest number of local organizations, 64,701; the Baptists reported 54,880; the Presbyterians, 15,506; the Lutherans, 12,703; and the Roman Catholics, 12,482.

Other interesting features of the bulletin are those showing that the total seating capacity of churches was 58,526,830, an increase over the 1890 United States census figures of 34.4 per cent; that the rate of increase was practically the same for both Protestants and Roman Catholics, and kept pace with the increase in population; and that \$1,257,867 was invested in church edifices in 1906. The total amount of debt was \$108,050,946, or 8.6 per cent of the total value; of this total the Protestant bodies owed \$53,301,254, and the Roman Catholics, \$49,488,055. In 16 states a majority of the church members were Roman Catholic; in 25 states, Protestant; and in one, Utah, Latter-day Saints.

THREE CHURCHES

WILL BE DEDICATED IN PADUCAH DISTRICT IN OCTOBER.

Bishop Hendrix Will Officiate at Ceremonies—News of the Methodists.

The Midland Methodist (Nashville) says:

"Bishop E. R. Hendrix will dedicate three churches in the Paducah district October 12, 13—viz., Arlington (Rev. R. H. Pique, pastor), Wickliffe (Rev. G. W. Evans, pastor), and Lone Oak (Rev. W. J. Naylor, pastor). These churches will be dedicated in the week days for want of time to do so on Sundays. There are two or three others that could be dedicated if the bishop had time.

"The Rev. W. A. Banks, pastor of Oak Level circuit, writes: 'We have just closed the greatest meeting ever held at McKendree church, on this circuit. There were 75 conversions, with 54 accessions up to date and more to follow.' In this great meeting the pastor did all of the preaching, which is a good sign. The Rev. L. D. Cadd will be the close pastor of a meeting next week.

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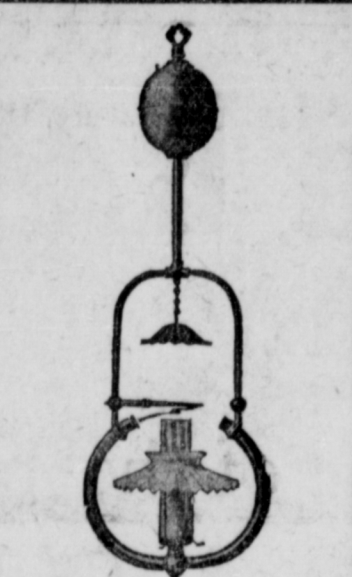
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Yet if the lover of exciting sport should care to master the use of the harpoon and resort to the open sea for his diversion he would discover in the swordfish the swiftest swimmer, the hardest fighter and one of the most interesting denizens of the ocean.

Upon the appearance of swordfish in Cape Cod waters, most of the fishing vessels of the region, schooners and sloops, by reason of the mackerel season being ended until autumn, abandon their nets and take to the harpoon.

A pulpit is rigged on the forward end of the jibboom. On account of the pugnacious nature of the swordfish lunge tackle is provided. A number of detachable harpoon dories, each carrying a sixty fathom line coiled around a painted keg bearing the owner's name, together with the eighteen foot harpoon shaft make the whole outfit.

The chief swordfishing territory of the Cape Cod region is the open sea stretching southward from No Man's Land. It was for this island, says St. Nicholas, that the Louise, a forty-five foot auxiliary sloop, sailed about the middle of August, carrying provisions for a ten days' cruise.

Horace Wellman, one time whaler, a master of the harpoon and the best swordfisherman around Cape Cod, was her skipper. Brooks and Kelly, the steward, made up the rest of the crew. As an extra man there was Thompson, who, although a good sailor, was inexperienced in swordfishing and correspondingly curious—a welcome addition, since it meant another pair of eyes aloft to look for fins.

Fifty Miles From Shore.
Fifty miles out from No Man's Land the first fins were sighted. The Louise was making but little headway, the helmsman, his pipe dead, was dozing at his post, when Brooks, whose keen eyes had been sweeping the sea ahead, suddenly yelled, "Stabber! Har-r-d a-stabber!"

A quarter of a mile away on the starboard bow were the two little black spots which, protruding like knife points above the water, marked the location of the possible first catch—or a shark. The main sheet was hauled in; Wellman caught the jibstay and swung to the pulpit on the jibboom.

Coming up to the fish properly is one of the problems in successful and profitable swordfishing. An unskilled party goes straight upon the prey, regardless of the position of the sun. In the present instance had the sloop with the sun on her port tackled straight to starboard, the mainsail would have cast its broad shadow far beyond the striking range of the man on the jibboom, and the fish would have dropped far below the surface. Accordingly a detour was made, the return tack fetching the sloop about with the two black fins between it and the sun.

The skipper was now seen to be unslinging the harpoon which had been lashed to the pulpit cage—the little iron rail against which the harpooner leans when he throws the iron. The men aloft were straining their eyes to see if the fins ahead were those of a swordfish or of a shark. It is often said that the fisherman's way of distinguishing between these two is by the shark's second dorsal fin, which is invisible unless he leaps from the water; but this is not really the fisherman's method. He tells them by their actions in the water, for the swordfish, if in motion at all—which he seldom is when harpooned—propels himself with a crosswise motion of the tail, giving force to the movement with a backward flip like the stroke of a canoe paddle, while the shark is always in motion and sculls with his tail. Brooks, who had been watching apprehensively for the latter sign of the fin ahead, now gave a grunt of delight and sang out, "Hit him!"

Hurling the Harpoon.
The purple body of the quarry could now be seen almost under the jibboom. The skipper's broad back bent like a bow, his right arm raised high and doubled forward with a savage downward thrust. There was a thud and a moment's anxious suspense, Wellman leaning far over to see the result of his throw.

In the interval Kelly threw the keg clear and stopped the engine, to avoid any danger of the screw cutting the tail rope. At the same moment there was a swirl of water, a caudal fin of water struck the bowsprit and elongated into a gleaming ribbon of spray that

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ran out to sea with incredible swiftness, the painted keg lost to sight in the flying water. A chorus of whoops from aloft greeted the skipper as he swung to the crossree.

"He was a big un," he grunted, "he was all of sixteen foot."

Already the painted keg had become a mere speck on the water and was still receding, but the crew of the Louise made no effort to follow. Long experience has taught the swordfisherman the wisdom and the safety of allowing the catch to tire himself out before taking him aboard. To harpoon a swordfish with a line fast to the sloop would be the height of foolhardiness.

Once he reached the end of his rope he would in most cases turn and from being hunted play hunter—and a single thrust in the seams from his vicious snout would be enough to sink a sturdier vessel than a fishing sloop; but a painted keg, although it be carried five miles out to sea in repeated spurts of energy, is in the end the vanquisher, and marks the poor fish's whereabouts when the sloop puts a dory over to bring him in.

A Monarch of the Deep.
The next fish sighted was but a short distance away, no fins showing. Instead a deep purple spot, singularly distinct, slid like a slowly moving under the bow. As the sloop came about the fish could be plainly seen under the water. Stately, king-like in his royal color he lay, motionless but for the slowly throbbing gills, his great eyes staring straight ahead as though he were unconscious or contemptuous of impending danger.

He was fully three feet under water, but the skipper was equal to the occasion. So neatly did he throw the iron that the water scarcely rippled, and in the usual second's pause before the first rush he still could be seen, quivering under the blow, his big tail curved over his back. Then he came straight upward. His snout shot above the bow, his tail threw up a mass of water that very nearly knocked Wellman from the pulpit and he was off so quickly that Kelly hardly had time to get the keg clear.

When but a quarter of a mile away he turned and headed for the sloop. She was sent ahead at full speed, but the precaution was needless, for the fish merely had his eye on the keg, encountered it and sent it spinning into the air with a glancing thrust of his horn, he made off in a foaming rage and was soon lost to sight. After half an hour of cruising about, the first keg was discovered away to the southwest, and Brooks went out in the dory to bring it in.

Landing a 700-pound swordfish is a business requiring more power than can be applied by four pairs of hands hauling away on a slippery rope. The main sheet was close hauled to prevent the boom from swinging too far to port. Wellman then made the fish line fast to the boom.

"Jibe her!" he called. Kelly put the wheel over and the boom, swinging across, landed the great fish in the middle of the cockpit.

It was past noon by this time, and while Kelly busied himself in his capacity as cook, young Thompson went out in the dory to get the second keg, the Louise standing by to lend a hand in case of a mishap. Hauling in the sixty fathoms of tugging rope proved a strenuous task for inexperienced hands; the dory persisted in giving way to stubborn resistance at the other end of the line. But when about half of the rope was in it suddenly dropped slack in the water.

This made the work easy, and Thompson was hauling away with great gusto when the skipper, who was watching the proceedings from aloft, roared: "Belay there—He's coming for the boat!"

Swordfish Attacks Boat.
Thompson jumped to the thwarts. An ominous-looking wave was approaching at terrific speed; it split into a mass of flying spray, and with a crash the infuriated fish drove his sword completely through the bottom planking, split the seat and ripped one of Thompson's boots from ankle to top.

After repeated assaults with the butt of an oar Thompson at last succeeded in driving the fish's snout from the bottom—to have left him struggling long in the position would have spread the seams. With his sword free again this fish proved to be a most persistent fighter, and gave Thompson a severe grueling, being hit with his tail until the day was half full of water and repeatedly running out to sea with

such determination that the lad was forced to drop the line to avoid going overboard.

After twenty minutes of this sort of business he at last got the line through the scull hole, hauled the fish around and thrust the lance into the gills. A "Well done, lad!" from the crossrees of the sloop amply repaid him for his wetting and the demoralized condition of his new boots.

During the afternoon the sails of three other fishing vessels hove in sight, and among them they very near spoiled the fishing of the Louise. The latter part of the day usually yields the best results, for then the swordfish, being a warmth-loving creature, comes to the surface to enjoy the sun. Four fish were sighted at a great distance, playing in the tide rips, leaping in the water like porpoises, but in each case one or the other of the stranger vessels, being closer, carried off the prize.

Just as the sun's rim was touching the horizon, however, six pairs of fins were sighted at once so close together that the same sloop could have picked them all off in less than fifteen minutes' time. The four vessels bore down upon them like so many greedy gulls and they closed in, all within speaking distance of one another, the crew of each sloop being determined to make the entire catch.

To the fact that Wellman during this confusion kept his eye on the fish ahead and himself maneuvered the approach must be attributed the result: The Louise, by going ahead at full speed regardless of the danger of her trail lines as the kegs went over, got three out of the six, much to the chagrin of her three rivals. By putting both dories over at once the whole catch was taken aboard before the afterglow had faded from the west.

The day's catch was a trifle better than the average. Twenty-one fish were taken during the ten days, amounting to nearly 7,000 pounds which, selling in the New Bedford market at eight cents a pound, make the cruise a profitable one for the skipper and his crew.

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The old woman rose up from her hands. A little scared look came into her wrinkled face. "I don't know. Ain't in trouble?"

"Terrible!" repeated the other.

"Why terrible?"

"Away from all the people ye know without a word wid anybody. 'Tis a jail for old people. I'd be better dead, I'm thinkin'."

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Tuberculosis Among Children.
Dr. Phillips, of Edinburgh, believes that tuberculosis is very much more common in childhood than has ever been suspected, and believes that it comes from airless homes and schools rather than from infected milk. Dr. Herman Biggs is also very keen on this theme—a view of consumption around which will be fought the fiercest battles of the future. Prevention is now considered everything in consumption, while curing is not thought worth a bawbee by some. Prevention must begin on the child, oftentimes the infant.—New York Press.

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Says He Did Not Know That Peary Was on His Way to Etah When He Met Whitney at Etah.

WILL TELL STRAIGHT STORY

New York, Sept. 23.—Dr. Cook denied himself to all interviewers and remained with his family in his suite at the Waldorf-Astoria until evening, when he submitted to a severe cross examination by forty newspaper representatives.

The material points in Cook's answer did not differ greatly from his original recital, but he readily and unhesitatingly answered all questions.

Asked to show his diary, he immediately consented, and passed around the note book, containing 176 pages, each filled with upward of fifty lines of penciled writing of the most minute characters. The book, he said, contained more than one hundred thousand words. He has other books embracing observations and other data.

The interviewers were severe regarding details, but nothing indicated that the traveler's memory faulted in even the minutest particular. The only time he refused to reply was when Peary was mentioned. Then he said he had always and did now consider Peary his friend, but the controversy in connection with his rival could wait.

Will Let Whitney Talk.

When requested to say what occurred when he met Harry Whitney, Cook said he preferred to let Whitney tell his own story. His reasons for imposing secrecy on Whitney, Pritchard and the Eskimos, were prompted by the desire that he himself should first tell the world of his discovery. Having done the work, he said he was entitled to relate how it was carried out. Asked whether he was willing to meet Peary in debate, Cook replied:

"As far as I am concerned the Peary incident is closed, Peary is not the dictator of my affairs and I don't care to say anything further about him."

"Did you know when you met Whitney on your return to Etah that Peary was going to start up at that time?"

"No."

"What caused you to intrust your instruments to Whitney?"

"I knew him by name, and circumstances arising while with him justified my confidence. I thought the instruments less liable to injury on his vessel than carrying them across the glaciers."

"What is the opinion of the story told by the negro Hanson of the information he obtained from your Eskimos?"

"The Eskimos were bound down by me not to tell any one where they had been. Hanson's testimony is entirely founded on hearsay."

Deluged With Telegrams.

A deluge of telegrams and cables was received by Dr. Cook and handed to his secretary. The explorer did not read the newspapers, and when the hour for the interview came, he was playing with his little girl on the floor.

An army of visitors called during

the day, but only got as far as Cook's secretary. Among their proposals were offers of free accommodations at other hotels; promoters with schemes to make Cook rich, scores of offers of entertainment, private and public, but all persuasions were unheeded.

Peary Enroute Home.

Truro, N. S., Sept. 23.—Peary with his family left Sydney today and reached Truro, and later departed for Portland. Groups gathered at the railroad stations en route caught a glimpse of the explorer who was greeted at some places with hearty cheers.

Peary today received cablegrams inviting him to lecture before the Royal Scottish Geographical society in Edinburgh.

The invitation follows one for a lecture in London before the Royal Geographical society. At Eagle Island Peary will prepare his reports, also a statement on the question "has Cook been at the pole?" He said the statement will soon be made public.

McMillan Wants His Data.

Sydney, Sept. 23.—The sailing of the Roosevelt was delayed last night owing to the attempts to recover the records and other manuscripts taken from the steamer yesterday by souvenir hunters.

Prof. McMillan received information that the wife of a prominent citizen had admitted having abstracted certain papers from the professor's room. It was too late to ascertain if she really had the records that McMillan requested that the sailing be delayed. The woman has denied taking the articles mentioned, although she admitted having taken some things from the professor's room.

GOOD SHEPHERD HOUSE HAS SPECIAL SERVICE.

A fine service was held at the Good Shepherd mission last night in spite of the threatened storm. Several singers from town were present and helped greatly with the music. Tonight the subject of Mr. Wright's sermon will be "The Prodigal's Older Brother." Service begins at 7:30.

Message From Memphis.

Memphis, Sept. 23.—Flotilla remained in this port last night and left this morning for Cairo and St. Louis.

"That woman over there is always boasting of her family tree."

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The Kellogg Toasted Rice Flake and Cereal company, the originators of the processes by which toasted cereal flakes are made, have devised a unique and most satisfactory plan for making the public acquainted with their new breakfast, dinner and supper cereal, Toasted Rice Flakes, which they pronounce the best of all their famous food preparations.

They propose to give free to every family in Paducah half of a big 10c package of their delicious Toasted Rice Flakes, the most wholesome, the most digestible, the most palatable of all cereal foods. Canvassers will call at each house in the city and leave with the housewife a card good for five cents, which with a nickel, will pay for a full-sized package of Kellogg's Toasted Rice Flakes. Be on the lookout for cards and be sure you secure one. All the leading grocers have fresh supplies of the goods in stock. Save the cards. Worth five cents if presented before October 19, 1909.

HOTEL ARRIVALS

PALMER—H. D. Swygert, Chicago; C. R. Stoll, Prospect, Ky.; Samuel Hunter, Prospect, Ky.; G. A. Nagle, Union City, Tenn.; C. G. McGee, Chicago; J. W. Bishop, Metropolis; W. E. Hansen, Chicago; C. H. Scherman, St. Louis.

BELVEDERE—A. V. King, Cincinnati; J. M. Price, Benton; J. B. Honington, Cincinnati; L. Earl, Youngstown, O.; C. Phillips, Murray; Thomas Fisher, Nashville; N. B. Edmunds, Louisville; J. C. Daniel, St. Louis.

NEW RICHMOND—H. G. Smith, Eddyville; James Kennedy, Metropolis; Lacey Ramer, Bayou; P. Malone, Murray; F. J. Raymond, Evansville; W. P. Eubanks, New Decatur, Ill.; W. E. Ward, Metropolis; E. B. Baynes, Metropolis.

ST. NICHOLAS—H. W. Russell, Dawson Springs; W. L. McPherson, Murray; A. W. DeBerry, Savannah; B. K. Kennedy, Mayfield; Geo. B. Durham, Evansville; Chas. Olson, Cincinnati; J. P. William, Paine, Ill.; E. R. Rork, Moline; Wm. H. Mahon, Wichita, Kan.; L. C. Brown, Morton Gap; A. W. McCoy, Kansas.

RAILROAD NOTES

Work will continue plenty at the Illinois Central railroad shops for several months yet, and there is little prospect for either a decrease in force or working hours. Superintendent A. H. Egan was in the city this morning and he said business is good and he does not look for any decrease but expected an increase. The demand for coal cars is heavy now, but so far the railroads have been able to meet the demand. The yards are full of bad order cars, and there is sufficient work to keep the present force busy for several months.

Superintendent A. H. Egan and Assistant Superintendent L. E. McCabe went to Princeton this morning. W. C. Waggoner, of Princeton, was in the city last night.

Evan Prosser, of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, was in the city last night on business.

Song of the Water Wagon.
Little drops of water,
Good for any saint;
Makes the old-time boozier
Look like what he aint.

BACK HOME

WENT WILLIAM McPHERSON, A WOULD-BE RECRUIT.

He Passed Fine Physical and Moral Examination But Suffered From Nostalgia.

The only defect that kept William McPherson, of Murray, from joining the ranks of Uncle Sam's army was his own reluctance. McPherson was enlisted at Murray Monday by Sergeant Joseph Kresky, of Paducah, and brought here yesterday afternoon. Upon arriving at the local recruiting station he was examined and passed all physical requirements, but this morning he returned home. McPherson wanted to enlist at Murray, but thoughts of home would obtrude and when he reached Paducah he concluded he might better break his engagement with Uncle Sam in Paducah than go to Jefferson Barracks, where there was no excuse to give up.

Sergeant Blake yesterday afternoon enlisted Chomus F. Peebles, of Hazel, Ky., who was accepted by Capt. G. W. Kirkpatrick and sent to Jefferson Barracks, St. Louis, this morning. He will do service in the field artillery. Sergeant Kresky will leave next Monday for Anna, Ill., to receive new men for three days. Captain Kirkpatrick returned to Evansville this morning.

News of Theatres

Probably the greater portion of Paducah knows that Gertrude Ewing and her excellent company is to appear at the Kentucky theater for a week's engagement starting Monday night, September 27. For the opening piece, Miss Ewing has selected a dramatization of Ovidas picturesque military play, "Under Two Flags." Miss Ewing will be seen to an advantage in the play as the part of "Cigaret" offers her many opportunities.

There is much good comedy throughout the play to enliven the situation and each part is calculated to show to good advantage the entire company. Ladies are to be admitted free on the opening night under the usual conditions. One lady and gentleman or two ladies will be admitted on one 39 cent ticket, if reserved at the seat sale before 6 o'clock Monday.

Vaudeville plays a big part with the company and six high class artists are carried, headed by the Desmond trio, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Mounts, Harry Doutry and others.

Ranking foremost among the stellar attractions that are booked to appear here in the near future is Florance Gear in the merry musical comedy, "Fluffy Ruffles." Just as she did last season in "Marrying Mary," Miss Gear is this season in "Fluffy Ruffles" captivating her audiences everywhere by the subtle charm of her own personality, the original methods she pursues as a comedienne, the splendid tonal qualities of her singing voice, and the rare beauty of her face and figure.

The premier of all rural plays, "Way Down East," will begin an engagement at The Kentucky theater as one of the season's first attractions, and with it will come all the quaint characters that during the past twelve years of its existence has made it a household name. The same Squire Bartlett—kind-hearted but rudely just; Pretty Anna Moore—with her trials and woes; Seth Holcomb—with his "Long Life biters"; the inimitable constable, Rube Whipple, and last but not least, El Holler, he of the wondrous and bawdy laugh. They will be supported by a large and competent company of players, assisted by the choir from the village church. The farm stock will also be in evidence, also the snow storm; preparations having been made to give the play a perfect production.

Nothing is easy to the unwilling.

NOTICE

For the benefit of those who are unable to attend our opening during the day our store remain open until 9 o'clock tonight.

Mrs. A. C. Clark's millinery, second floor, will also be displayed.

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